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Firemen Snub Greenleaf Home Blaze

Fire originating in electric tape in the roof caused damage estimated at \$3,000 to \$4,000 at the Greenleaf Funeral Home last Thursday evening. The tape, installed to prevent ice from forming, had been turned on for the first time that day.

Smoke was noticed about 6 o'clock and Eldon Greenleaf discovered flames in the attic. After calling the fire department he used a fire extinguish-

er but discovered the fire had broken through the outside of the house. After a quick arrival of the firemen the blaze was soon controlled.

Most of the fire and water damage was in the roof and upper floor of the building where caskets are displayed. The efficient work of the firemen won the praise of the many spectators and others who have seen the damage.



Philip H. Chadbourne and Richard S. Waldron attended the funeral of James Gammon in Sumner Thursday afternoon.

Miss Methel Packard has returned to Portland after spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Ida Packard, Bridge St.

Mrs. John Tebbets entertained members of the Searchlight Club of Rumford at her home on Eden Lane Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mildred Cotton, Mechanic Falls, was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ronald Kendall, and family, at their home on Paradise Hill.

Midshipman Jeffrey Hutchins of the Maine Maritime Academy was among those sailing from Castine Monday on the steamship State of Maine for a 12,000 mile training cruise to the Caribbean Sea, Canal Zone and California.

The Bethel Health and Service Council will hold its quarterly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Tebbets Wednesday evening, Jan. 16, at 8 o'clock. A representative from each participating organization is invited. The finance committee will meet following the regular meeting.

Mrs. Louise Lincoln, Supt. Hamilton Bailey, Mrs. Frances Gunther and Miss Helen Varner attended a Maine Teachers Association Legislative meeting at Bryant Pond Monday evening. Commissioner Warren G. Hill, Executive Secretary Clyde Russell, Perry Shibles, other legislators and County members of MTA were in attendance. A supper was served at 6:30 followed by the meeting.

The Five Town Teachers Club met Monday evening at Crescent Park School. A regular business meeting was conducted by the Vice President, Mrs. Doris Lord, and Mrs. Lois Burgess was Secretary pro tem. The program was led by Gerald Bragdon who presented Imaginary Case Histories of Problems Teachers Meet, followed by discussions. The next meeting will be Feb. 4.

On Sunday afternoon nine Scouts of Troop No. 165 together with Assistant Leader Stan Davis, enjoyed a hike up Sunday River Valley to Stan's camp, where they cooked their lunch over an open fire, and then trekked back to town. Those participating were: Stan Davis, Tom Davis, Andy Davis, John Thurston, Jim Perkins, Jim Young, Doug Farrar, Gary Page, Steve Hastings, Bill Eames.

The Week in Oxford County

Wayne Lindsay of South Paris has been sworn in as a deputy sheriff under Stephen Conant. Lindsay served 27 years in the warden service of the State of Maine.

Leo Bolduc, 43, of Roxbury Road, Mexico, died in a dynamite explosion Saturday afternoon. He was using dynamite to enlarge a spring on his lumbering operations on the Worthley Pond Road. He was investigating a delayed explosion when the blast went off, according to officials. Survivors include his widow, six sons and one daughter, his parents, brothers and sisters.

Sp4 Charles Akers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Akers of Andover, went with a troop from Alaska in December to Germany. They will go to Innsbruck, after a month's training at Garmisch, for the World Brathlon Championship. In

February they will go to Champonix, France, for the World Military Championship.

Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, receives its second three-year accreditation based on an evaluation of the hospital survey conducted on Nov. 8, 1962. The hospital has been in operation six years.

A list of unpaid liabilities of the Oxford County Fair Association totals \$56,802.91. According to terms voted at the last annual meeting of the fair society the Oxford Hills School District would assume any and all liabilities not to exceed \$60,000.

State funds amounting to \$50,000 are granted for the rebuilding of 0.65 of a mile of route 219 from the junction with route 28 toward West Paris. The bridge will be rebuilt and two curves eliminated.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

I made a statement at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Tuesday evening that might need a little explaining. I stated that the town would lose over \$100,000 of valuation and over \$4,000 in taxes from the Oklahoma Pipe Line Company. The town will not lose any revenue from the Portland Pipe Line but the loss is from the Oklahoma Pipe Line. The Oklahoma Pipe Line did some work for the Portland Pipe Line and had a lot of personal property in Bethel on April 1 of 1962. This property is no longer in town and therefore the town will lose the \$100,000 increase that it had in 1962.

The auditor is presently working on the books so it will be another week before the final standing of the accounts can be printed.

The highway crew is almost through picking up the snow from the last storm. Of course there have been other jobs to do along with the snow removal. Some equipment repairs and plugged sewers with the snow removal have kept the crew busy.

The unpaid taxes for 1962 totaled about \$16,000 and represented 7.2% of the total paid for taxes in 1962. The 1961 totals were \$12,500 and 6.6% of the amount paid for taxes. I believe that small increase in amount and percent of unpaid taxes is very favorable considering the 6 1/2 mill increase in taxes for 1962.

Michael Houlihan

SCOUTS COURT OF HONOR AT CONG. CHURCH

Bethel Boy Scout Troop No. 165 will hold a Court of Honor tonight at the dining room of the West Parish Congregational Church preceded by a 6:30 p. m. pot luck supper. Mrs. Leland Brown is in charge of supper arrangements. The new Rangley District Scout Executive, John Eachus, will be a guest, in addition to the boys' parents and the troop committee.

Following supper and the awards ceremony Uel Gardner of the Sunday River Ski School will show a recreational film and Carroll Valentine has some slides of the Tumbledown Mt. Camporee and of Camp Boma-zeen which should be of great interest to all.

Bethel Masonic Lodge will meet tonight at 8 p. m., preceded by a 6:30 supper. The Master Mason degree will be conferred.

Mrs. Dexter Stowell entertained at a tea Thursday afternoon, honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sutherland, of Beamsville, Ont., who are visiting here for several weeks. Invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Platt, Mrs. Theodore Emery, Mrs. Hamilton Bailey, Mrs. Kimball Ames, Mrs. Howard Cole, Mrs. Ralph Hall, Mrs. Richard Waldron, Mrs. John Tebbets, Mrs. John Frankiewicz, Mrs. Harlan Hutchins.

The Bethel Evening Extension met Jan. 8 at the Home Economics Cottage with 27 members and two guests present. After the business meeting Sylvia Benson and Marie Saunders conducted a Crafts with Macaroni class. Many original designs were created on boxes and coffee cans. Refreshments were served by Sally Ramage and Rose Rozek. The next meeting, "Safety in Driving," will be February 12.

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QUARTERLY MEETING WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Women's Fellowship of the West Parish Congregational Church met last night for their regular quarterly meeting, preceded by a 6:30 pot luck supper served by the ladies of Circle 4.

It was voted to accept the revised estimate of \$500 for the work on the new Sunday School room and to authorize Roland Glines to go ahead with the work.

It was voted to donate \$50 to Pilgrim Lodge.

It was voted to have quarterly meetings in September, November, February and May in the future.

Following the business meeting the group enjoyed a musical program furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Emery, Jr., of Farmington. Mr. Emery, accompanied by Mrs. Emery at the piano, sang several solos.

Mrs. Emery entertained with a delightful piano rendition of "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star" arranged in the manner of Mozart, Handel, Liszt, Chopin and other famous composers.

BARTH HEADS SUNDAY RIVER ADULT SKI CLUB

Ninety members were present when the Sunday River Adult Ski Club met at the lodge at Sunday River Skiway on Saturday evening for a spaghetti supper.

Newly elected officers of the club are as follows: President, Al Barth; Vice President, Albert Buck; Secretary, Margaret Trivard; Treasurer, Richard Bryant.

President Al Barth spoke to the group on the promotion of the Ski Club and announced plans for future meetings. The next meeting will be on Saturday, Feb. 1st, and will be preceded by an oyster stew supper.

Following the business meeting a film "Little Skier, Big Day," filmed in Aspen, Colo., was greatly enjoyed. An evening of games and dancing followed.

HOSPITAL AUX. OFFICERS, COMMITTEES NAMED

The Bethel Hospital Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Vance Richardson at 7 p. m. Monday for a pot luck supper, with 15 members and three guests present. Guests were: Mrs. Roger Luce, Mrs. Michael Houlihan and Mrs. John Frankiewicz. At the meeting after the supper, the following slate of officers for 1963 was presented: President, Mrs. Wallace Saunders; Secretary, Mrs. Leland Brown; Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Vogt; Directors, Mrs. Dan Manson, Mrs. Maurice Kendall, Mrs. Colwyn Haskell.

Mrs. Saunders announced the following committee chairmen: Sewing, Mrs. Leon Wilson; Yarn, Mrs. Leland Brown; Tea, Mrs. Henry Hastings; Hospital Fair, Mrs. Colwyn Haskell.

The next meeting will be on Monday, Feb. 4, at the home of Mrs. Leland Brown, with Mrs. Wallace Saunders as co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gallant spent the week end at their camp at Middle Dam.

Cranks shafts ground in cars, trucks and tractors. In or out of motors.

Evenings and Sundays EVERETT CHASE

GAME NIGHT

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Vachon Tells PTA of Education Costs and Present College Requirements

The Bethel PTA met Tuesday evening at Crescent Park School with 55 attending. It was decided at a brief business meeting that the PTA would sponsor the Dental Health Poster Contest in the local schools.

The 8th grade won the attendance banner, and refreshments were served by the 4th grade mothers.

The Superintending School Committee will present its budget at the February meeting, and Town Manager Michael Houlihan plans to attend.

Edmond Vachon, Headmaster of Gould Academy, spoke to the group on the requirements of higher education. He emphasized how the situation has changed over the years. It is no longer the scholastic standing alone that determines whether or not a candidate is accepted by the school of his choice. Mr. Vachon stressed the importance of early planning to build up requirements for college entrance.

Admissions Boards look for the following four things, according to Mr. Vachon:

1. The candidate's scholastic standing in his class.
2. His personality record, which includes recommendation from members of the community as well as from school authorities.
3. Test records. These are the College Boards which are required by most colleges, and include the Scholastic Aptitude Test, achievement tests, and sometimes a writing sample.
4. School recommendation.

LOCAL NAZARENE CHURCH ANTICIPATES FIRST ANNIVERSARY

The local Church of the Nazarene, which had its beginning as a home mission church in the summer of 1961 and was organized on May 6, 1962, is looking forward to its first anniversary this spring. The local church was one of three newly organized churches on the Maine district during 1962.

Located at the intersection of Broad and Paradise Streets, the church has added a number of improvements to the former John Howe property including an attractive chapel, parsonage redecoration, and a lighted off-street parking area.

Planned improvements for the new year include landscaping, completing the parking area, exterior painting, more permanent chapel seating, and expanded Sunday School facilities.

The local church is a member of the denomination of the Church of the Nazarene which has its headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri.

Miss Beverly Blake returned to Springfield College last week after spending the holidays at her home here. A member of the junior class, she was named to the Dean's List for the first semester.

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Mr. Vachon then took a few minutes to explain the school tuition figure established throughout the state for secondary schools. He pointed out that the amount of \$579.00 was determined from the costs of educating children throughout the year and dividing by the average daily membership. This figure did not include Gould Academy costs. The increased costs included salaries, utilities, fuel, supplies, and an increase in the evaluation of buildings. In addition, the last State Legislature increased from 15% to 25% the amount schools are allowed to charge if they have two approved vocational programs. At the time Bethel paid \$430 per pupil, Gould Academy costs were \$987 per pupil.

DR. HUDSON STARTING VETERINARY PRACTICE

James T. Hudson, D.V.M., has established his small and large animal veterinary practice in Bethel.

Dr. Hudson graduated from the School of Agriculture at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York, in 1953, and then served two years as a lieutenant in the United States Army. During this time he was stationed at Bamberg, Germany.

After his Army service Dr. Hudson resumed his studies at the Cornell School of Veterinary Medicine and graduated in June of 1961.

Previous to moving to Bethel he practiced in North Conway, N. H., and lived in Fryeburg. He and his wife, Patricia, have one child, Jennifer, and are living in Bethel.

ANNUAL ALIEN ADDRESS REGISTRATION REQUIRED THIS MONTH

C. C. Doughty, District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, stated that the annual alien address report program usually causes a sharp rise in the number of applications for naturalization.

The law requires all aliens in the United States, with few exceptions, to report their address each January. Aliens not required to make this report are diplomats, those accredited to certain international organizations, and those who have entered temporarily as agricultural laborers.

Forms for making the reports will be available to aliens at all Post Offices and offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service during the month of January. Mr. Doughty indicated that aliens desiring information concerning naturalization or similar matters should obtain the forms at an office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, where personnel trained in these fields will be available to answer inquiries.

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Louise Foster, Correspondent

The regular meeting of Franklin Grange was held Saturday night Worthy Master Olive Davis named the Membership Committee as follows: Charlotte Cole, Verna Swan and Carl Brooks. The charter was draped in loving memory of Alton Verrill. The Committee on Resolutions are Ray Hanscom, Harris Hathaway and Olive Davis. A candle light service followed in charge of Lecturer Carl Brooks with the Master, Chaplain, Ceres, Pomona, and Flora participating. "Thots of the Day" was read by the Lecturer. An interesting demonstration of how shoes are made was presented by Arthur Ring. The mystery march was won by Olive Davis. It was decided to serve refreshments at the Pomona meeting to be held on the evening of Feb. 5. The next regular meeting will be held on Jan. 19, with a silent auction and a tasting party to follow.

The meeting Ray Hanscom will be in charge of the program held at that time.

On Tuesday evening at the Grange Hall, state officials and school personnel met to discuss legislative problems concerning teachers and education, the affair being preceded by a 6:30 turkey supper, with Franklin Grange as hosts. Dr. Hill, State Commissioner of Education, was the guest speaker and spoke on the Foundation Subsidies Program, the Teachers Minimum Salary, Needs of the Teachers' Colleges, and Vocational Education. Other dignitaries in attendance included, Senator Norman Ferguson of Hanover, Representatives Richard Dunn of Denmark, Louise Lincoln of Bethel, Charles Hammond of South Paris, Donald O'Leary of Mexico, MTA Representatives Clyde Russell and Perry Shibles, Leon Strout of Mexico, County Representative, and John Hall, County Association President.

Mrs. James Thompson (the former Beverly Cox) of Atlanta, Ga., spent several days with her mother, Mrs. Russell MacAllister. Mrs. Thompson's nephew, Danny Brumblow, accompanied her here. Part of the time was spent visiting sisters living in Gorham, N. H., and Westbrook. It had been nine years since she had visited her sisters and family.

Charles MacAllister, son of Russell MacAllister, is stationed in Korea as a teletype operator. Following is his address: Pfc. Charles MacAllister RA 11393826, 161 Engineers 4th U. S. A. M. C. A. P. O. 8—Korea—San Francisco, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cushman and family of Augusta were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant.

Word has been received here that Clyde Brooks, a former resident of this town, fell and broke his hip on Dec. 27th, and was operated on at the Maine Medical Center. Cards will reach him in care of the Maine Medical Center, Portland, Maine, Room 334.

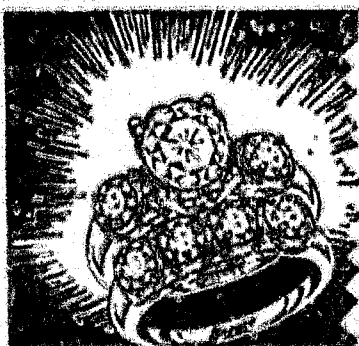
H. Stanley Andrews, Frank Bean, Ernest Packard and Lawrence Jordan were at the V. A. Hospital at Togus, Sunday, to visit Elias Roberts, of Locke Mills, who is a patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Murphy, Donald Jr. and Patrick, of Welchville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Noyes Jr. and family. Afternoon guests included Mr. and Mrs. Roenell Cummings and family of West Paris.

Deferred Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bear returned to Fairfield, Conn., on Monday. Their daughter, Andrea Bear, will return to Waterville Thursday where she attends Colby College.

Mrs. Marie Harrington spent the Christmas holidays at Jefferson, N. H., with a niece, Mrs. Gross.

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Cor. —

The Union School began Wednesday after a delay of two days because of the storm.

The big wind blow did quite a bit of damage by blowing off roofing, moving garages on their foundations and breaking off trees. The roads were drifted in places so that bulldozers had to be employed to remove the snow before a snowplow could go through. Some windows were blown in also and water pipes froze in some places. No one around here remembers anything like it before.

Harlan Andrews has been ill and confined in bed the past week. He is better and able to be up at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bean of Livermore took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Titus and Leroy Titus Jr., South Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews, Sunday afternoon.

Jackson Andrews returned to his studies at Gould Academy Sunday after a two week's vacation.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. C. James Knights —

Harry Billings and granddaughter, Sonja Roberts, of Milton, Lee Billings and children, Linda, Louise and Malcolm, were at Gramby, Mass., Sunday.

Alex Miller of Milton had a heart attack and was taken to the Rumford Hospital.

Clyde Knights was at Lewiston last Friday and had his upper teeth extracted at Dr. Lebel's.

Word has been received from Mrs. Clinton Buck at Tampa, Fla., that she is enjoying warm and sunny weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole received a telephone call from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Whitney, at Hobe Sound, Fla.

Mrs. Peter Rosenberg and family entertained relatives from Rumford Saturday afternoon.

Hilda Andrews returned Saturday to Farmington Teachers College after the Christmas holidays.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Cor. —

Miss Helen Montague and friend are staying in Eddie Day's new house on the Skiway road.

There has been another A shape or chalet built near the one already completed on the Skiway road.

Tom Yates was in Milan, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fleet and children were Sunday visitors of her folks at North Waterford.

terford. Mrs. Fleet also visited her father at Portland and found him much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett were in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones and Mrs. Frances Jones of North Waterford called on Mrs. David Fleet recently.

Jeffrey Fleet returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Morin is recovering from her recent attack of the flu.

The Primary and Grammar School pupils returned to school, Wednesday, and the Academy, Monday, Jan. 7.

WOMEN'S BOWLING
LEAGUE

Jan. 3:

Hanover Dowel, 1413, vs. Flying A Girls, 1391. High single, 105, Judy Saunders. High three, 269, Judy Saunders. High single, 100, Mary Dooen. High three, 274, Mary Dooen.

Central Alleys, 1442, vs. Twisters, 1421. High single, 104, Norma Jodrey. High three, 286, Norma Jodrey. High single, 106, Doris Walker. High three, 263, Doris Walker.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Leslie Poore wishes to thank friends and neighbors for their cards, food, floral tributes and kindnesses give to us in our time of sorrow. We also wish to thank Greenleaf's Funeral Home and Rev. Hamilton for their kindness.

Mrs. Leslie Poore
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Mrs. Elva Marshall
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker
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Mr. and Mrs. Nett celebrated their anniversary given them by Pleasant Valley Jan. 6th.

The table was pine and lilies Green candles the decorations ranged by Mrs.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bennett celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with a party given them by their children at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall on Jan. 6th.

The table was decorated with pine and lilies of the valley. Green candles added color to the decorations which were arranged by Mrs. Gordon Mason.

Mrs. Alberta Merrill made the anniversary cake which was beautifully decorated.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett received a crystal plate with silver flowers, leaves and the 25th anniversary engraved in silver, from their children. They also received many lovely gifts and a sum of money.

Refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Kendall and Scott Lowell, Mrs. Doris Lord, Mrs. Myrna Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vashaw, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Osgood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kendall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Osgood and Robin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aubin, Brenda and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Dean and David, Mrs. Ruby Rolfe, Mrs. Pauline Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett, Malcolm and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kendall, Miss Helen Varner, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis, Mrs. Ruby Larey, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler, Jr., Misses Roma, Freda, Candy Bennett, Steve Wilson, Lawrence Davis, Mrs. Albert Smith. Sending cards but unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bleckford, Mrs. Gladys Cross, Mrs. Edith Bennett.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller and family for four days of the holiday season were Rev. Norman W. Nichols of Arlington, Va., and Walker Broyles, S. A. Radio School Command, Norfolk, Va.

Stanley Fuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller is expected to arrive in New London, Conn., from Scotland in mid-January.

Miss Loretta Blake is working for Mrs. George Gilbert.

Mrs. Mary Richardson who is spending the winter with her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Moore at South Portland is reported to be enjoying a good winter.

Ernest Luxton is home and is gaining now.

Mrs. Mertie Emery visited her sons and families at Fryeburg during the holiday season. Joseph Perry visited his son, Robert, and family, at Portland.

Roy Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Newton, has returned to Pittsfield where he attends the MCI after spending the holidays at his home here.

Linda Burris and Georges Damone returned on Wednesday to Orono to resume their studies at the University of Maine.

Peter and William Stowell have returned to Boston after the Christmas recess at Northeastern University.

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Margaret and Mary Burris visited their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Dickson and Cheryl, at Rumford, on Friday. Mrs. Franklin Burris was a guest of the Dicksons on Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett were in Norway, Friday.

Mrs. Roy Newton entered the CMG Hospital Lewiston on Saturday for observation.

Mrs. Lettie Hall and son-in-law, Robert Parker, of South Portland, were dinner guests of Lona Gilbert, Friday.

Earle Graves is working part-time in the Bethel General Store on Railroad St.

Guests of Bette Ann Fuller Sunday were Rhonda Brown and Debra Kneeland of Bethel and Patricia Judkins of Rumford Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott came Friday night to spend the week end with Mrs. Mary Abbott. They returned home to South Portland, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and sons were in Mechanic Falls Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morse of Norway were visitors Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rolfe's.

Mrs. Lura Westleigh is reported to be much improved in health. She is still in West Minot.

Gordon Hibbard of Portland spent Friday and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hibbard.

Little Rebecca Stowell, who

is being cared for by Mrs. Alton Luxton, while her mother is convalescing, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William MacArthur Jr. and family of Manchester, N. H., returned home after the storm of last week. They were guests of his brother and family, the Ralph MacArthur, over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and family were guests of her father and family at Shelburne, Sunday night.

Harold Fleming who is a patient at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H., is reported to be making a good recovery.

Mrs. Ruth Grover is reported to be gaining slowly. She is now able to be moved without use of the lift.

Donald James will attend Kellogg Training School at Chicago for a four week training course on the dial system.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER
AND VICINITY

—Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Cor.—

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAllister and family spent the New Year week end in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. George Poor of Oxford were recent callers of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Andy Inman underwent a tonsillectomy at the St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston, during Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Dunn of Portland spent the week end at their camp.

Ben Inman and daughter, Miss Laura Inman, of Bethel, were Christmas Day dinner guests at Howard Inman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Allen of Freeport were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and boys of East Bethel were Sunday callers, at Hugh Stearns' and at Howard Inman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews of Norway were recent callers at Howard Inman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAllister and Mr. and Mrs. Howard

MAGALLOWAY

—Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres.—

Owing to the bad storm your correspondent was unable to get to the mail box last Monday so no news went from this vicinity. The thermometer registered 20 degrees below zero and the wind blew furiously from the north, the worst storm ever experienced in these parts.

Winfield Holman preached at the schoolhouse at Wilson's Mills Sunday forenoon. He resides in Conway, N. H.

Maurice Bennett of Wilson's Mills and Miss Norma Shurtleff of Errol were married at the Wilson's Mills Church on New Year's Day by the Rev. Mr. Taylor, the Episcopal minister from Colebrook.

The bridge between the Clinton Bennett and Olson farms broke Thursday morning. All lumber trucks were stopped and could not haul until repairs were finished Friday.

Inman attended the square dance at South Waterford Saturday night.

night. Cars detoured and went around by Lauren Bennett's.

Mrs. Bertha West has finished work at the Abbott Brook restaurant and Mrs. Hazel Harvey took her place there.

Miss Margo Harvey, who is employed in Berlin, was home over the week end.

The Misses Jean-Marie Griffin and Joan Berube were also home from Berlin last week end. They are attending school there.

Miss Fay Turner, who spent the holiday vacation with her father, Odian Turner, has returned to Hanover where she lives with her sister, Mrs. Muriel Romano and attends school.

The Errol school began Dec 31st and the Magalloway and Wilson's Mills ones on Jan. 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bennett are residing in the house in Wentworth Location formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. James Turner, who live in Rangeley now.

William Hooper who spent his vacation with his grandfather, Ewen Cameron, has returned to college in New York.

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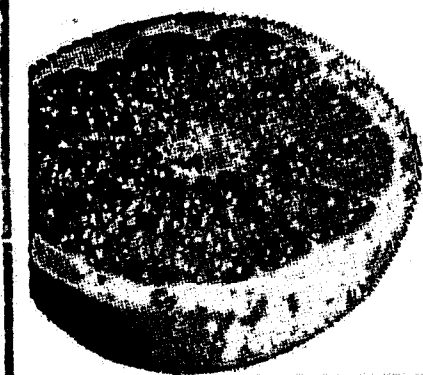
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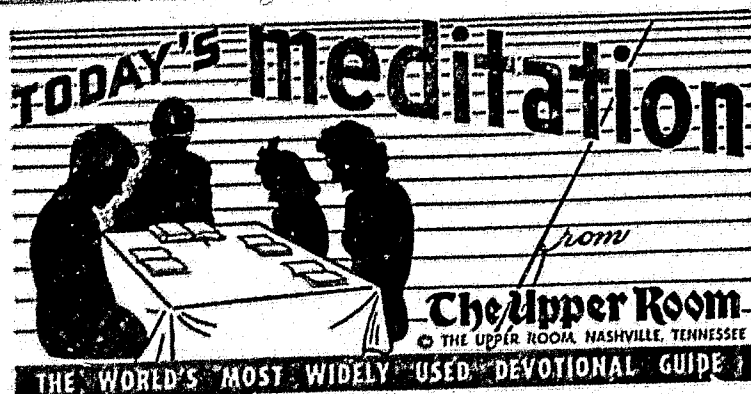
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Lord, save us: we perish.
(Matthew 8:25.)

The disciples became frightened when the wind threatened their safety in the boat on the Sea of Galilee. They awoke Jesus and said, "Lord, save us: we perish."

One summer morning we decided to drive to the coast for the day. After awhile I discovered that our little boy, unable to swim, had floated too far out on our air mattress. Panic-stricken, he was lying across it. I called to him not to move. I swam out to him, got him in the right position on the air mattress, and swam back to shore with him in front of me.

It happens often that we experience something like this on the ocean of life. We will sometimes go our own way against the will of God. Then we become filled with anxiety as we

realize we are drifting away from Him. We discover that there is nothing we can do of ourselves to bring us back to God.

In the discovery of our own helplessness, we find that God is watching over us. He who saves our souls through His grace given us in Christ Jesus, our Savior, calls to us to trust in Him.

PRAYER: Heavenly Father, we thank Thee for Thy watchful care. We ask Thy forgiveness for disobedience and neglect of Thy commands. Grant us power to do Thy will. We thank Thee for salvation through Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day
"As for me, I will call upon God; and the Lord shall save me."
Arne-Jacob Kristoffersen (Sweden)

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CARRIE MAE WIGHT

A Tribute

A memorable page of human history has turned to complete a very special chapter in the life of this region and parts beyond, when Miss Carrie Mae Wight died on Christmas morning.

Unlike many pages of history which are turned and soon forgotten, the life of this friend, educator and counselor of youth, has made such an impact on so many people, both locally and throughout the State of Maine, that her having lived is an event long to be remembered and treasured.

As the ripples of a stone thrown into the water, move endlessly in ever widening circles, so her wisdom, counsel, and genuinely simple friendship touched young teachers in preparation, youthful ministers, and young people seeking a meaning and usefulness for their lives. Now, and for many years to come, there will be teachers laboring in some classroom, hundreds of them, who will remember that they are what they are, because Miss Carrie Wight told them what a good teacher should be. In many churches around the country there are ministers, now wiser in the meaning of life, who will frequently pause in their ministries and remember the kindly teacher who taught them in their youthful ministry, something about the humanness of being a person. Of the thousands that have passed through the portals of Gould Academy, many in office, at the machine, in some branch of the Armed Services, in some profession or trade, will remember one who was a friend, and by that friendship helped them to believe in themselves.

It is a small valley where Miss Carrie Wight made her home, but her life was so big that the valley couldn't contain her. She belonged to the limitless world of people. "Her thoughts were all so full of us. She never could forget! And so I think that where she is she must be watching yet!" —Margaret Wildemeyer

THE SEEDS OF FASCISM

Some thoughtful people have expressed a fear that a form of Fascism may, in time, reach power in this country. If it ever does, it will be the evolutionary consummation of a trend which has been subtly and insidiously undermining free institutions for many years.

The matter is not an easy one to discuss with any precision. For one thing, the meaning of words often tends to blur, and the problems and situations they are intended to describe often lose contrast. One totalitarian state—whether it be called Fascist, Communist, or anything else—is very much like another in its fundamentals.

That aside, the causes of Fascism, and the tools which are used to create it, are spotlighted by history. The technique is to bring about a marriage of the instruments of power in a nation—its government, its industries, and its labor in cases where the unions are strong and wield great influence. The ambitious leader uses these instruments with the utmost care and the utmost cynicism—to achieve his purposes. He woos industry, by convincing it that by going along with him it will achieve an advantage over labor. And he woos labor with precisely the same siren song in reverse.

The danger is set for Fascism or totalitarianism of any kind—when the resources of a nation become overly dependent on the government. And, certainly, the danger would be in the government.

is the principal customer of many huge companies. Beyond that, government, by its laws and regulations, its bureaucracies, its thousand and one departments and agencies, and its own business operations, plays a dominant role in the life of the nation that would have seemed both impossible and intolerable even half a century ago.

Wars—hot and cold—past, present and possible—have been enormous forces in producing this trend. A fifty-odd billion dollar defense budget alone is a continuing threat to fundamental liberties. All we can do about this is to minimize that threat in every way possible, by working to prevent government domination of our lives in every area where the national security does not clearly demand it.

Beyond this, the Fascist danger lies in areas which have no connection with our safety in a chaotic world. These areas we describe with a general term—the Welfare State. This, carried to its logical conclusion, is a state in which government is all things to all men, offering a dubious cradle-to-the-grave security. The cost in dollars—tax dollars—is exceeded only by the costs in loss of liberty, self-reliance, and individual pride and responsibility.

So the seeds of totalitarianism exist. Only an informed and determined public, dedicated like its forebears to the principles of freedom, can make sure that they will not sprout into choking weeds.

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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

—continued from page one
Mrs. Ethel Auger is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Gould Academy resumed classes Monday following the holiday vacation.

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce met at the Sudbury Inn for a 6:30 supper meeting on Tuesday evening.

Pfc. Bartlett Hutchinson is stationed at Fort Meade, Md., after spending 19 days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loton Hutchinson.

Miss Louann Brown was a guest several days last week of Miss Sue Bartash of Rumford. Sue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartash of Rumford, is a sophomore at Gould Academy.

The Methodist Couples Club will meet at the Church Annex on Saturday, Jan. 12, for a 6:30 p. m. pot luck supper. Entertainment will consist of a variety program. The committee in charge is Mr. and Mrs. Paul King, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown and daughters, Susan and Vicki, returned home last week after spending the holidays in Florida with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas I. Brown, and Mrs. Arthur Herick. Mrs. Thomas Brown, who has been ill, is reported much improved, and expects to be able to leave the hospital on Friday.

The Misses Rachel, Rebecca and Martha Keniston, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston, entertained at a skating party Wednesday night. Following a brisk workout on the ice, the group adjourned to the Keniston home for hot cocoa, popcorn, etc. Those attending were Lorraine Eames, Kathie and Bob Clemons, Al Grover, Jane Luxton, Cindy Freeman and Gertrude Waldron.

The congregation at the West Parish Church was treated to a

The truest end of life is to know the life that never ends. —William Penn

He who stops being better stops being good. —Olive Cromwell

The State Police remind us that teaching traffic safety to our youngsters is an urgent matter in this motor vehicle age. They emphasize, too, that the most effective teaching is done by a good example.

It is a mighty good idea not to pull up too close to the lowered signal gates or the signal lights at a highway-rail intersection. The State Police point out that such places are likely to be worn smooth and slippery from many sliding stops, and that it is entirely possible that the car behind may be unable to stop in time to avoid bumping you and pushing you into the path of an oncoming train. Be a marginal driver — leave that extra margin of safety between your car and the tracks.

breath-takingly beautiful sight on Sunday morning when the new candlestick and antependium were used in the worship service for the first time. The lovely brass candlesticks were the gift of a friend of the church and the antependium was purchased by the Diaconate as an initial step in an effort to beautify the place of worship. The lovely altar flowers were donated by the family of Mrs. M. Vaughn Vail in her memory.

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Rev. Patnode
Bethel Church of the Nazarene

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel Methodist Church
Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Saturday, Jan. 12:
6:30 p. m. Couples' Club
Meeting at the church annex.
Sunday, Jan. 13:
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Family Worship
Hour and Nursery.
6:30 p. m. Junior and Senior
High MYF Meetings.
Thursday, Jan. 17:
7:00 p. m. Senior Choir Rehearsal.
8:00 p. m. Monthly meeting of the WSCS at the Church.

West Parish Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, January 13:
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 2:00.
Sunday the Pilgrim Fellowship will be host to the Winter Youth Rally of the Oxford-Union Assn. of Pilgrim Fellowships. Registration will begin at 2:00. The program will continue through the afternoon and early evening.

The officers of the State Pilgrim Fellowship will be in charge of the program. All young people from the P. F. or other youth groups of the Congregational churches in this area are invited.

Monday, January 14:
The Couples Club will hold their monthly Pot Luck Supper and get-together beginning at 6:30.

Rev. William Thompson, Associate Minister of the Congregational State Conference, will be the guest speaker.
Wednesday, January 16:
Choir rehearsal; all members of the Choir should attend. Any members who like to sing are invited to join the Choir.

Thursday, January 17:
The Bible Study Group will meet in the Chapel at 7:30. The group will start a study of the Sermon on the Mount.
Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. C. R. Patnode, Minister
Church calendar for the coming week.

Sunday, Jan. 13:
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Bible-centered lessons for each age group.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. "Of the 168 hours in your week couldn't you spend one in your church?"
Youth Choir 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m. Inspiring song service and Biblical preaching. Make your Lord's Day complete, come to church Sunday night.

Wednesday, Jan. 16:
Prayer Service and Bible Study 7:00 p. m. Continuing the study of the Gospel of Matthew. All are invited.
Friday, Jan. 18:
Youth Week Planning Session held at the parsonage at

7:00 p. m. All interested young people are urged to attend to help plan activities for Youth Week.

We invite you to worship with us.
Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9:00 a. m. Sundays in the Community Room.

Episcopal Chapel
Christ the King
Odd Fellow Building, Main St., Sundays:
Holy Eucharist, 9:15 a. m. You are invited.

The Church of the Open Bible
At the Universalist Church.
Organist, Linda Paine.
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Church service, 11:00 a. m. Sermon brought by Robert Colby.

Youth Forum, 6:30 p. m. Bible Study at the Church Wednesday evenings at 8:00.
Christian Science

Communion services will be held this Sunday at all Christian Science branch services and societies throughout the world. The church tenets will be read, and the congregation will be invited to kneel in silent communion.
Bible reading: "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled." (Matthew 5.)

The Bible Speaks to You — subject, What Is the Greatest Power? Radio, Sunday: WMOU, 1230 kc, 7:45 a. m.; WGAN, 560 kc, 8:45 a. m.; WPOR, 1490 kc, 9:45 a. m.
Locke Mills Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Littlehale, Pastor
Church Services, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School, 10:45 a. m. Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Universalist Church
Sunday: Morning Worship Service, 9:00; Rev. Stanley Rawson, speaker. 10:15, Church School. 6:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship.

West Bethel Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Littlehale, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Supt. Olive Head.
11 a. m. Worship Service. Choir practice Saturday, 6:30 p. m.

Chapel Aid Society meets 2nd Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Leon Strout, Interim Pastor.
Miss Susan Hathaway, Organist.
9:15 Sunday School.
10:30 Morning Worship.
6:30 Jr. Young People's Meeting.
6:30 Sr. Young People's Meeting.
7:30 Evening Service.

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COUNTRY FLAVOR

STORY IN THE SNOW

It was a sparkling day after the storm had blown itself out. Fence posts wore jaunty white berets and hilltops were jewel-bright in the sunshine. The countryside was clean and fresh with its new blanket.

The sun climbed near the height of its arc and the red line climbed in the thermometer. A good day, a countryman thought, for a ramble across the fields, around the swamp and into the woodland.

Near the edge of the swamp, he came upon the story. There were rabbit tracks leading from the woodland, where cottontail had loped leisurely along on a morning search for food.

The tracks ended. There were a few drops of scarlet congealed in the snow. One could see where the wing feathers of the owl had pressed the snow before the bird flew away with its prey.

It seems a tragedy when man

reads the story in the snow. But we know that behind the many life forms that inhabit field and wood, swale and mountainside, is a plan so intricate that man does not yet fully understand its ramifications.

Biologists label it the "balance of nature" and in its complex web live rabbits and owls, mice and hawks, pheasants and foxes, deer and wildcat. Why it should be true, man does not know. Why could there not be a few species that would not grow too numerous? Why should one species need another to hold it in check? Why, indeed, did certain insects and animals originate in the first place?

We do not know. But on a winter's day when fresh-fallen snow makes a painting of the landscape, one can go forth and read the stories. Life is still a mystery. Life writes stories for man as well as lower forms. We do not understand but we can walk and read, and still live by faith.



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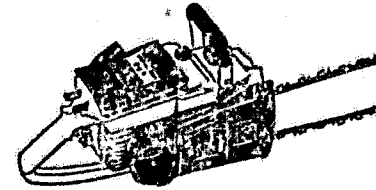
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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Rodney Cross, Jr., Correspondent

Dorothy, daughter of Mrs. Ann Swan, is recovering from a broken arm suffered last Saturday while skating. She was presented with a sunshine box from the members of the Mt. Abram 4-H Club Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Coolidge has returned from a visit with her parents in Philadelphia, Pa. Her children were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Coolidge, while she was away.

Junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hebert, is confined to his home with the mumps.

Miss Loretta Blake, West Bethel, was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Cross, Jr., Monday.

Arthur Cummings, Auburn, spent the week end as guest of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Emmons.

Mrs. Ida Lunvey has returned home after visiting her son in Gorham for a few days.

Mrs. Rowena Dunham spent Sunday with her sister in West Peru.

Stevie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seames, is confined to his home with the chicken pox.

GILEAD - Mrs. F. M. Holder, Cor. - Mr. and Mrs. George DeCoster and son were week end guests of her parents; Mr. and Mrs. Tilson York, in Canton.

Miss Harriett Taylor has gone to Derby, Conn.

Wilfred Caron has returned home from the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Marie Paquette returned to her home in Montreal, P. Q., Wednesday, after a week's vacation spent with her daughter, Mrs. Lucian Duquette, Brown Farm, North Road.

Richard Roy of Berlin, N. H., was a visitor in town, Friday.

Herbert Goddard was in Lewiston Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. Mildred Foster, who is a patient at the C. M. G. Hospital.

CARD OF THANKS - We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our relatives, friends, neighbors, and all others for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement. Also for the cards and beautiful floral tributes.

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WEST GREENWOOD - NEWRY

- Mrs. P. W. Croteau, Cor. -

Mrs. Leonard Kimball was in Norway recently. Also visited her daughter, Mrs. Robert Bidlon, at Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews were callers at Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kimball's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Atkinson of Gray were recent callers at Alden Wilson's.

Mrs. Alden Wilson, Mrs. Robert Deegan and Mrs. George Brown were in Norway, Friday.

Mrs. Paul Croteau was in Norway, Monday.

Mrs. Leonard Kimball called at her son's, Carlton Rugg's, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carl of North Waterford were callers at Alden Wilson's, Sunday.

Henry Deegan was a guest at Lawrence Bailey's this last week end.

BETHEL MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE
Week ending 1-9-63:

Central Alleys	Won	Lost
Lions	8	0
Walker's Mills	6	2
Bennett's Garage	2	6
Gould Academy	2	6
Davis mill	0	8
Waterford	6	2
Barber Shop	0	8
High string, 146, Kenneth Delano.		

High three, 372, Delano.

NEWRY

- Mrs. George Learned, Cor. -

Pupils having perfect attendance at Powers school are: Sheryl Wight, Kurt Vail, Randy Brooks, Anita Durgin, Gary Wight and Michael Auger.

Carl Stone, Mexico, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Learned and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Learned, Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Wight and children visited with her mother, Mrs. Blay, Hanover, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Learned visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thurston and Bessie Learned, Rumford, Tuesday evening.

Francis Bryant, South Paris, spent the week end at his camp on the Branch Road.

Brooksie Morton visited at the home of Irving Cummings, Bethel, over the week end.

Frank Vail, Gloucester, Mass., is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vail.

Mr. and Mrs. Kid Blair have gone to West Warwick, R. I., for two or three weeks.

Lon Wight spent last week with relatives in Rumford.

Perfect attendance at the Branch School as follows: Michael and Marcia Auger, Albert Morton Jr., Kathleen Powers, Susan and William Brooke, Douglass Bennett and Paul Durgin.

The Ladies Circle met at Geneva Vail's Sue Wight led devotions. Refreshments were served. Those attending were: Selma Chapman, Ethelyn Wight, Ida Powers, Freda Robertson, Virginia Learned, Sue Wight, Ida Wight, and Geneva Vail.

CARD OF THANKS - The cards, letters, calls, flowers, cooked food and other kind expressions of sympathy by our relatives, neighbors, and friends at the time of our recent loss were deeply appreciated by the family of Raynor Littlefield.

Our sincere thanks to Pastor Beatrice Littlefield for her words of comfort, to I. W. Andrews and Son for their quiet understanding and to the various fraternal organizations.

To all who in any way offered a helping hand we extend heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Raynor Littlefield
Mrs. Fannie Cummings
* Mrs. Esther Farnum

SAYLES, BETHEL NATIVE, NOW EPISCOPAL PRIEST

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sayles will be interested in the following which appeared in the North Adams, Mass., Transcript, Dec. 27. Mr. Sayles was principal of Gould Academy 25 years ago.

"The Rev. George N. Sayles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Sayles of 79 Chestnut St., this city, will be ordained to the priesthood of the Episcopal Church at 10:30 o'clock next Thursday morning.

At Mission Church - "The Rt. Rev. Allen W. Brown, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany, N. Y., will officiate at the service at St. Andrew's Church, Schreton Lake, N. Y., one of the mission stations of the Adirondack Missions to which Mr. Sayles is assigned. The elevation will take place on the Feast of St. John the Evangelist.

"Mr. Sayles was ordained a deacon in St. John's Church in this city June 23 of this year by the Rt. Rev. Robert M. Hatch, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Western Massachusetts. He

CPS NEWS

On Friday evening January 4th the Crescent Park School Patrol held a social. Dancing and refreshments of cookies and punch were enjoyed. The social was chaperoned by Mr. Bragdon and Mr. Heino.

School Union No. 22 was acknowledged in this month's Mathematics News Bulletin for its effort in bringing about an to date math program in its system. This bulletin is published by the State Dept. of Education in Augusta.

was transferred to the jurisdiction of the Albany Diocese at the end of September.

To Serve Missions - "Following his ordination, he will continue on the staff of the Adirondack Missions.

"A graduate of Adams Memorial High School in 1955, the former local young man was graduated in 1959 from Kenyon College at Gambier, Ohio. He entered the seminary the following September and was graduated from the Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven, Conn., last May."

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MRS. MAUD DAY

Mrs. Maud Day died at her home on Park Street, Jan. 2, after a long illness. She was born at Buckfield May 4, 1875, the daughter of Lorenzo and Frances Mayhew Bonney. She was married to Bert Day, Dec. 24, 1896, who died in 1926. She was a member of the West Paris Universalist Church, a Golden Sheaf 50-year member of West Paris Grange and was a member of Onward Rebekah Lodge. She is survived by a foster daughter, Mrs. Mary S. Palmer of West Paris. Funeral services were held from the West Paris Universalist Church Saturday at 2 p. m. with Joseph Perham officiating. Entombment at the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris, where interment will be in the spring. The bearers were

Stanley Hibler, Lorenzo Cole, Reynold Chase, Earle Palmer. The Grangers and Rebekahs attended in a body.

Rev. and Mrs. Felix Mayblom of Paris Hill, formerly of West Paris, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Judith Marie, to Gene Curtis Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Newport, N. C. Miss Mayblom attended West Paris High School, Houghton Academy, Houghton, N. Y., and is now attending Portland School of Fine and Applied Arts. Mr. Jones is a graduate of Newport High School and attended Louisburg College and Appalachian State Teachers College, N. C. He is serving with the Air Force and is now stationed at Otis AFB, Cape Cod, Mass. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker are the parents of a daughter born Jan. 4 at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Abbott, West Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walker, Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mack Jr. are the parents of a daughter, Pamela Jean, born Sunday at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

A daughter was born Dec. 28 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hurd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Cole have received the announcement of a new granddaughter born Jan. 2, in Painted Post, N. Y., to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cole.

John Ring is confined to his home by illness.

The Extension will hold an all-day meeting at Mrs. Frances Bradeen's Thursday. The program "Lauder With Care" will be under the leadership of Mrs. Katie Tamminen. Mrs. Martha Gardner and Mrs. Ida Gurney will have charge of the dinner.

The Youth Fellowship enjoyed a swimming party at Hebron Academy, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Whitney, Oxford, was a Sunday guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Inman.

Kevin, eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Farr Jr. was given a birthday party Wednesday afternoon by his mother. Games were played and refreshments were served. Attending were: Gary Inman, Gary Waterhouse, Gary Herick, Terry Cram, Dennis Hazleton, Fenton Damon, Roenell Cummings, Robert Newell and Kevin Farr.

Mrs. Glenn Hazleton entertained at a party Saturday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Darlene, who was celebrating her ninth birthday. After Darlene opened her gifts, games and refreshments were enjoyed. Present were Lolita Lindvall, Jan Young, Charlotte McLaughlin, Christine Baker, Melody Ring, Jill Lillmattis, Sherry Small, Natalie Lamb, Lynne Morrison, Florice Cummings, Janet Pulkkinen, Darlene, Judy and Cathy Hazleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Strout and daughter, Susan, Poland, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Emery and family have moved into the newly refinished apartment in

HANOVER

— Marjorie Cummings, Cor. —
The young people are enjoying their new skating rink. The success of this project is a credit to the efforts of the youth of our town.

Mrs. Marion Richardson is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. Mary Burns of Rumford is substitute teacher during her illness.

Senator Norman K. Ferguson is attending the current Legislative session in Augusta.

Nancy Ferguson, who is employed in Washington, D. C., was home for a week over the holidays.

Mrs. Blanche Worcester has closed her house for the winter and is staying with her sister, Gladys Redman, in South Portland.

James D. Grey left Jan. 2nd to take up his new duties as assistant manager of manufacturing at the Oxford Paper Co. Mrs. Grey accompanied him to look for housing for the family.

Alice Penney has returned to the Maine School of Practical Nursing at Waterville, after a two weeks vacation at her home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forbes have moved into their new home in town, which has recently been completed.

Mrs. Mabel Kinne is chairman for the March of Dimes in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnham are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born Christmas Day. The baby has been named Meloney.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Jardine are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Mr. Jardine is the new State Police, replacing Anson Doughty. They are living in the house recently vacated by the Ernest Callendo family.

his parents' house at Trap Corner. Emery has recently received his discharge from the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Kay Tamminen is a patient at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Miss Eldith Lang and Mrs. Beverly Dean were in Bangor several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hadley Jr. and family have returned from Scarborough where they had been living for the past two years.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perham and family, Turner, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham Jr. and family of Newburyport, Mass.



SOUTH ALBANY

— Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Cor. —

Roy Wardwell sold a veal calf to George Wiley last week.

Sally Brooks of Bryant Pond was a week end guest of her classmates, Jean and Jane Wardwell. They enjoyed a skating party at Hutchinson Pond, Sunday.

The wind in the "blizzard" did much damage to the pine timber in this locality.

Robert Rugg called at Roy Wardwell's one evening last week.

SPOON AND HOE 4-H

The Spoon and Hoe 4-H Club met Jan. 5 at the home of their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bailey, Bethel. All of the boys went out in the workshop with their leader and worked until quarter past three. They boys had to finish their woodwork-

ing so that it will be done for next Saturday. The girls had to stay in the house with their leader and some of the girls were working on their sewing while their Junior Leader was cooking. Then the refreshments were passed out. Refreshment committee, for next meeting: Raymond Buker, Henry Deegan, Cynthia Graves, Bruce Young, Anita Young, Peggy Ann Buker, Club Reporter, RFD 2, Bethel, Maine.

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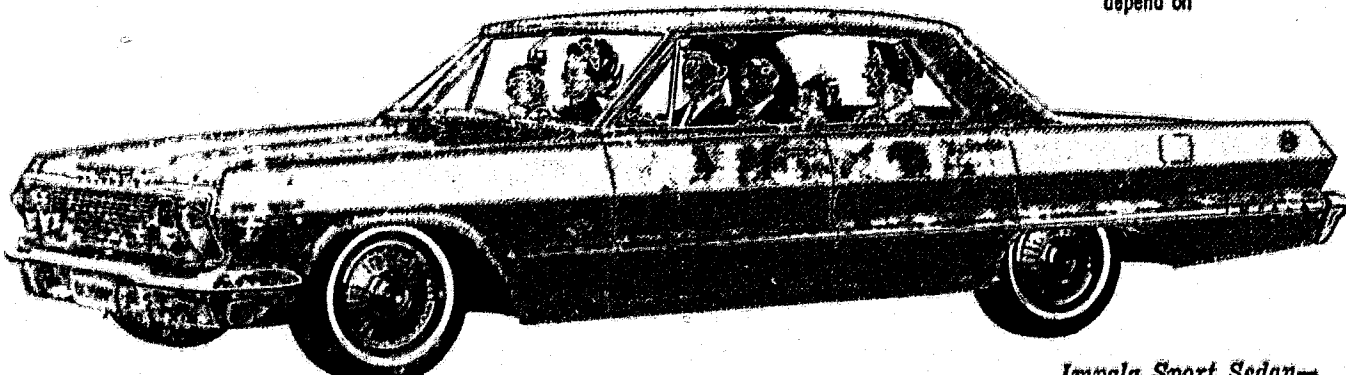
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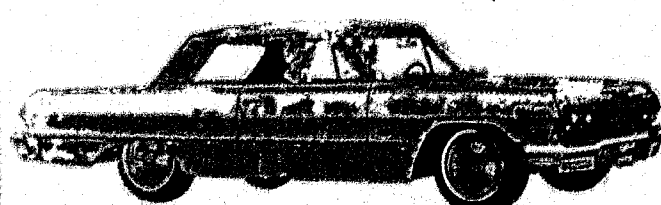
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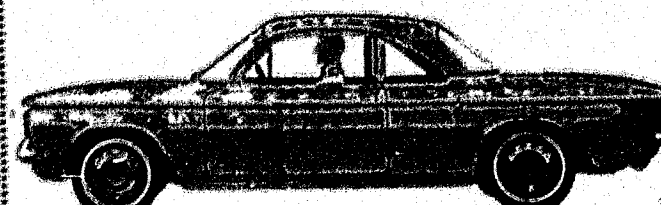
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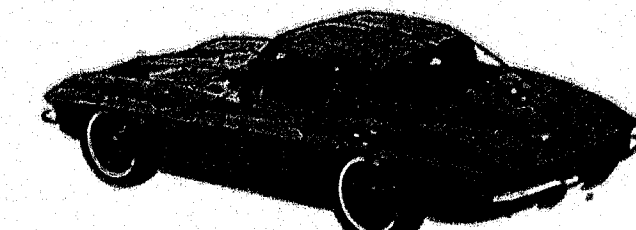
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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Fred DesRoches has returned to his studies at Bentley College, Boston, after being home for the holiday. Phillip DesRoches is improving slowly at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Miss Eleanor Billings visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Billings in West Paris Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Sr., and Miss Eleanor Billings visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H., Sunday.

Clarence Remington, Jr., attended the Ski Training Camp in Brattleboro, Vt., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis, Mrs. Kendrick Scribner, and Robert Curtis attended the funeral of Mrs. Maud Day in West Paris, Saturday.

Mrs. Gordon Coffin, of Norway; Mrs. Roy Stearns and Brenda and Bert Damon of

Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coolidge of Northwest Bethel were week end visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton.

Stanley Howe has returned to his studies at Gorham State Teachers College after being at home for the holidays.

Miss Charlotte Crockett of Mechanic Falls was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crockett Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Harris Tyler entered Rumford Community Hospital Wednesday for observation and surgery.

Alder River Grange No. 145 held a regular meeting on January 4 with seven members and two visitors present.

David Foster was in South Waterford Wednesday and Thursday helping to saw up many pine that had been blown down during the storm the last of December.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Davis on Sunday, Mrs. Lola Andrews and Mrs. Eleanor Harmon and George Bailey also called on Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Alice Hurd returned from Hick's nursing home in Fryeburg the past week.

Miss Carolyn Smith has finished her business course at Plus School of Business in Portland and is with her family. Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Smith.

Earl Smith and George Lothrop have traded for new cars. Mr. Smith for a Rambler and Mr. Lothrop a new Falcon.

Mrs. Simonne Lavallee spent several days of the holiday vacation with her daughter and other relatives in Springfield, Mass., returning home Jan. 1st.

Fred S. Judkins II returned to the U. of M. at Orono on Wednesday of last week after a three week vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins went to Portland Monday this week to get their new Volkswagen Microbus. Fred Judkins went with them to drive home the Renault.

The Roy Brothers have rented "Hiawatha Homestead" of Fred Judkins while they are logging on East B Hill.

There have been several bobcat hunters and fishermen from out-of-town recently.

SENATE PRESIDENT



State Senator Robert A. Marden, Republican, Waterville, was recently elected President of the 1963-64 Maine Senate by members of the 101st Legislature.

Marden, 38, now serving his second term as Senator, served two terms as Kennebec County Attorney and was formerly on the Waterville City Council. He serves on the Legislative Research Committee, the Constitutional Commission, the Governor's Advisory Board on Mental Health, and the Governor's Air Service Committee.

A graduate of Waterville schools, he attended Colby College and received his L.L.B. degree from Boston University School of Law. He is a naval veteran.

Member of the Waterville law firm of Joly & Marden since 1951, and of the Waterville, Kennebec, Maine and American Bar Associations, as well as Rotary, Elks, Masons, Shrine and American Legion. He is a Thayer Hospital trustee, president of the Kennebec Valley Mental Health Association, director of the Pine Tree Camp for Crippled Children, member of the Colby College Athletic Council, is chairman of the Charter Revision Committee drafting a new charter for his city, and was chosen outstanding man of the year in 1959 by the Waterville Jaycees.

The new Senate leader is the son of Supreme Court Justice Harold C. Marden, and is married to the former Shirley Marshall of Waterville. They have four children and attend the Methodist Church.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring thank the many Locke Mills groups for the very generous Christmas box sent them. The gift is greatly appreciated and the kindness shown by so many makes them very happy.

HEALTH AND SAFETY TIPS FROM THE AMA

Ski Safety:

Skiing is one of America's fastest growing winter sports. There are ski enthusiasts even in communities far removed from snow and mountains who make annual pilgrimages to winter resorts for a few days on the slopes.

It is common knowledge that skiing has its accidents hazards. The standing joke of the ski lodge with its quota of arms and legs in plaster casts is well known.

Ski experts report that most accidents are caused by the skier's poor physical condition and overconfidence. Thus the basic premise of ski safety is to get and stay in good physical condition and to be realistic in your estimate of your own ability to handle yourself in the emergencies that arise in the mile-a-minute dash down one of the big runs.

Beginning, if possible, eight to twelve weeks before the ski season, start exercising regularly with half knee bends, toe-walking, toe touching and a few push-ups. Tip-toe walking will help strengthen the lower leg muscles. For thigh muscles, sit on the edge of a table, lift your legs and straighten them out slowly. Then add weights (canned goods in a pillow case will do). When you can lift 35 pounds with each leg in this manner, you're ready for skiing.

Today's Health, the magazine of the American Medical Association, urges that all beginners should receive coaching from a certified ski instructor. Get expert advice in selecting good equipment, especially skis and boots.

A fundamental safety rule is: Never ski alone. If you're hurt, a buddy can go for help. Ski only in areas that are patrolled or supervised. Learn how to control your skiing and how to check your speed quickly if necessary. And, very important, stop before you become too tired. The fatigued skier is much more likely to fall.

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Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

The first baby born at the Rumford Community Hospital on Jan. 1 was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Palmer of Pine Street. The baby was named Edward Maurice. The Palmers have two other sons and a daughter. She was the former Joanne White.

The January meeting of the PTA had to be cancelled due to the lack of members present. The few members present discussed several subjects such as the cooking school and the annual Alumni-High School basketball games. No action was taken. The next meeting will be on Feb. 6.

The Home Extension meets at the Town Hall on Jan. 10 for an all day meeting. Dinner will be served at noon. The topic will be "Lauder With Care" with Mrs. Virginia Hodson as leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunne are spending a vacation in Arlington, Mass.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Fox will be pleased to hear that Mrs. Fox is vacationing in Florida while her husband is in India on business.

Mrs. Harl Averill was taken by ambulance from the Community Hospital on Jan. 3 to CMG Hospital where her broken hip will be pinned.

Robert J. Swain returned to his studies at Gould Academy on Monday after spending a two week vacation with his parents at East Andover.

Mrs. Shirley Parkman and son, Jimmy, are living at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley White.

By action of the joint School Committee of Union 24, comprised of members from the towns of Andover, Byron, Mexico and Roxbury, the resignation of Supt. Harvey McGuire was accepted. His resignation will become effective June 30, 1963.

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— Mrs. Holmes Gould, Cor. —
Mrs. Eleanor Harmon and son, Arnold, from Portland, spent the week end in town.

The officers of Delta Chapter No. 128 OES will be guest officers at Corona Chapter OES in Cornish on Monday evening.

Ralph Hurd has returned home from the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland and is reported to be gaining nicely.

Mrs. Wendell Pinkham (Margaret Davis) from Sebago called on her uncle and family.

UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Cor. —
Mr. and Mrs. Colon Fuller were in Bethel on business on Tuesday of this week.

All the high school students have returned to their various schools since the holiday vacation: Dwight and Diane Williamson and Judy Judkins to Gould Academy; Melanie and Lucien Bernier to Rumford High; Laurent Lavallee to Springfield, Mass.



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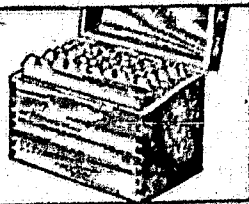
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10 YEARS AGO

Walter Marcuse of Boston was elected director of music for Gould Academy and the Bethel schools.

A truck carrying three cords of pulpwood from Albany to Berlin crashed into a large tree near the corner of Clayton Mills' house on Main Street. The brakes failed as they approached from Vernon Street. The driver and helper, both of Lewiston, were uninjured but confined to the cab as the load moved forward. Clayton Mills fell and broke his wrist while removing pulpwood.

Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, with George Hutchison of New Gloucester, bought the Nash Telephone Co. at Damariscotta.

Death: Miss Hope Wheeler.

20 YEARS AGO

War Ration Book 2 was issued.

Publishing of troop identification was forbidden by the Office of Censorship.

Gerry Brooks was president of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce.

30 YEARS AGO

Mrs. William Rogers Chapman was badly injured in an automobile accident.

James D. Alger, West Point

cadet, was playing on the West Point basketball squad.

Deaths: Mrs. Annie Waite, Mrs. Mary E. Libby, Mrs. James Packard.

40 YEARS AGO

H. H. Hastings was nominated by Governor Baxter as chairman of the Board of Prison Commissioners.

Miss Cleo Russell became Bethel postmaster, succeeding Guy L. Thurston, who served eight years.

The L. W. Ramsell Co. store, corner Main and Church Streets, was flooded with water from a broken pipe in the Masonic Hall. Damage was estimated at \$1,000.

Death: Mrs. Eda Douglass Knight.

50 YEARS AGO

Elmer H. Young celebrated his 25th year in business and silver wedding anniversary. Mrs. Young was formerly Miss Annie M. Lucas.

W. W. Kilgore, Newry, lost a valuable pair of horses while hauling ice on the river. The sled broke through, dragging the horses under.

Death: Mrs. George C. Chase.

60 YEARS AGO

The Androscoggin Lakes Tel. & Tel. Co. was organized.

MRS. FRANCIS H. VAIL, SR.

Mrs. M. Vaughn Vail died in a fire at her home at 523 Washington Street, Gloucester, Mass., early Thursday morning, Jan. 3, Mrs. Vail, whose husband was at work at the time, was alone at her home when the fire broke out at 4:30 a. m. The blaze was believed to have been caused by defective wiring in a closet in her bedroom. Officials said cause of death was by suffocation.

Born in Andover, August 29, 1907, she was the daughter of Herbert H. and Daisy Brooks Morton. The family moved to Newry in 1922 where she lived

until 1944, when she moved to Auburn to reside, later going to Gloucester, Mass. She was employed as a cook at the Rumford Community Hospital, hotels and private homes as long as her health permitted. Since moving to Gloucester she had operated a home bakery business.

On April 17, 1924, she was married to Francis H. Vail, who survives.

Other survivors include her mother, Newry; a son, Francis H. Jr., Lovell; a daughter, Mrs. Elaine Dutil, Auburn; two brothers, Herbert Jr. and Albert, both of Newry; two sisters, Mrs. Doris Brown, Bethel, and Mrs. Ramona Filiat, Westbrook; two half sisters, Mrs. Viola Luxton, Bethel, and Mrs. Daisy L. Reed, Rumford; a brother, Guy Morton, Portland, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home, Saturday afternoon, Rev. Clifford Laws officiating. Burial, Riverside Cemetery, Bethel.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved husband whose untiring devotion made her days more carefree during her many years of ill health.

In her home, and the near and dear members of her family, lay her complete happiness and in making their lives a little brighter her courageous nature overcame obstacles that would have daunted many, it was here that we received royal hospitality.

"When she stood in her open doorway

With the elm boughs overhead,
The house all garnished behind her
And the plentiful table spread,
We cannot think of her idle
She must be a homemaker still,
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Who fitted the task to fulfill
And somewhere yet in the hilltop
Of the country that has no pain,
She will watch in her beautiful doorway
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MRS. DAISY B. MORTON

Mrs. Daisy B. Morton died Tuesday evening at the Rumford Community Hospital.

She was born in Grafton July 5, 1878, daughter of Albert and Viola Bennett Brooks. She attended schools at Grafton and Gould Academy, Bethel.

On April 15, 1899, she married Floyd Searle and moved to Andover in October that year. Mr. Searle passed away in August 1904. Later she married Herbert Morton and moved to Newry in 1922. Mr. Morton died July 19, 1951.

She was a dressmaker, a charter member of the Ellis Glenn Temple, Pythian Sisters, in Andover Andover. In 1957 she was presented a pin as a 50 year member. She belonged to the Newry Extension, Ladies Circle, and past member of the Rebekahs and Bear River Grange.

Survivors are: two sons, Herbert and Albert Morton; four daughters, Mrs. Ramona Filiat, Westbrook; Mrs. Viola Luxton, Bethel; Mrs. Doris Brown, Bethel; and Mrs. Daisy Reed, Rumford; stepson, Guy Morton, Portland; two brothers, Glenn Brooks, South Portland; Elmer Brooks, Lacombe, N. H.; two half sisters, Mrs. Alberta Croteau, Bethel, and Mrs. Shirley Hobbs, Alfred; 19 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren; five step grandchildren, and seven step great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Greenleaf's funeral home Friday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Raymond Bradley, officiating. Burial will be at Wood Lawn Cemetery, Andover. Friends may call at the funeral home from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 Thursday.

BORN

In Rumford, Jan. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Palmer of Andover, a son, Edward Maurice.

In Norway, Dec. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hurd of West Paris, a daughter.

In Norway, Jan. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker of West Paris, a daughter.

In Norway, Jan. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mack of West Paris, a daughter, Pamela Jean.

In Painted Post, N. Y., Jan. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cole, a daughter.

Dec. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnham of Hanover, a daughter, Meloney.

MARRIED

In Wilson's Mills, Jan. 1, by Rev. Taylor, Maurice Bennett of Wilson's Mills, and Miss Norma Shurtleff of Errol, N. H.

DIED In Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 3, Mrs. Francis H. Vail, formerly of Newry, aged 55 years.

In West Paris, Jan. 2, Mrs. Maud Day, aged 87 years.

In Rumford, Jan. 8, Mrs. Daisy B. Morton, aged 84 years.

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SENIOR CITIZENS

ELECT OFFICERS

The Bethel Senior Citizens met Tuesday at The Norseman Inn, with about 45 in attendance. Rev. Clifford Laws read some amusing errors from newspapers. Mr. Frogillo of the Public Relations Office of AT & T at Andover gave an illustrated lecture on the satellite station.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Arthur Johnson; vice president, Mrs. Walter Bond; secretary, Minnie Wilson; treasurer, Imogene Kimball. The next meeting will be Feb. 12 at The Norseman.

CONGREGATIONAL

COUPLES TO MEET

MONDAY

The Couples Club of the Congregational Church will meet at the dining room, on Monday evening for a pot luck supper at 6:30.

William M. Thompson, Associate Minister of the Congregational Christian Conference will be guest speaker.

The committee in charge consists of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Fiske and Mr. and Mrs. Addison C. Saunders.

RIGHT TO WORK PETITION

HAS 24,000 SIGNATURES

Walter F. Tweedie, Executive Director of the Maine Citizens for Right to Work, has announced that the army of volunteer petition circulators have secured over 24,000 signatures and are winding up the huge drive this week. He stated that many Maine people who believe in individual freedom and liberty have come forth to sign the drive to give Maine the new industrial job opportunities it so desperately needs.

Tweedie stated that 29,300 signatures were needed to put the bill to the public in the next statewide vote in the event the legislature succumbs to union leaders' pressure and fails to pass the Right to Work Bill. He urged all clear-thinking people who have not been contacted to sign a petition to get in touch with local petition circulators or contact Citizens for Right to Work at Box 95, Augusta or call MAYfair 2-5781 so that they may join in the final push to an overwhelming victory.

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One of the most expensive educational processes in the world is that of educating deaf-blind children. The Perkins School for the Blind in Watertown, Mass., has pioneered in this work and has the largest program of this type in the world.

"Because educating deaf-blind children is so expensive, these children would not have the opportunity for taking their normal part in society if it were not for the generous support of people everywhere," according to Dr. Edward J. Waterhouse, Director of the Perkins School for the Blind.

The School is now conducting its annual appeal for funds to help underwrite the cost of educating these children who come to Perkins from twenty-eight states, Canada, Iceland, and Singapore.

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Fund, it is descriptive of the work being done with these doubly handicapped children to bring them out of their silent world. Children with the double handicap of deafness and blindness know the world around them only through their fingertips. By learning to hear by feeling vibrations from a person's mouth, they can eventually understand language, and learn to speak themselves.

Contributions to THE CHILDREN OF THE SILENT NIGHT Fund may be sent to the Perkins for the Blind, Watertown, Mass.

BROWNIE COMMITTEE

OFFICERS ELECTED

Brownie Troop Committee met at Mrs. Stanley Davis' Monday evening.

A business meeting was held and officers elected as follows: Chairman, Virginia Keniston; Secretary, Hope Tibbetts, and Treasurer, Carolyn Brooks.

A social hour followed honoring Rusty Cage, co-leader of the 4th grade Brownies, who is leaving us this month.

Anyone having Brownie outfits not in use will you please notify any of the following: Sally Bickford, Marjorie Conner, Helen Berry, Caroline Merrill, Amy Davis, Betty Rae Cole, Carolyn Brooks, Virginia Keniston, Janie Vogt, or Hope Tibbetts.

Meetings of the Brownies will be resumed on Thursday at the Legion Rooms.

TUESDAY NOW LADIES'

DAY AT SUNDAY RIVER

In our mothers' and grandmothers' day Tuesday was "ironing day," but in the Bethel of today Tuesday is "Ladies' Day" at Sunday River Skidway, as local damsels have their day on the slope.

Uel Gardner is offering a package plan every Tuesday for the ladies. The economical plan includes all-day skiing using the lifts, a two-hour lesson, baby-sitting and lunch. This plan is for those who want to learn to ski, for those who have done some skiing, and for those who strive to do the weald.

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